

BENT ON A DESPERATE PLAN

Anti-Harrison Bores Announce Their Intention of Nominating Blaine, Will Give His Wishes No Heed

No Announcement He May Make Will Change the Determination of the Opponents of the President to Name the Secretary.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE BEE. 513 FOURTH STREET, WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Today's New York World, in double leads, gives special prominence to this announcement, which it declares is "official" and can be relied upon.

"The leaders of the anti-Harrison movement have adopted a plan of action. Neither Mr. Platt or General Clarkson has succeeded in getting definite acquiescence or refusal from Mr. Blaine. He simply declined to discuss the subject. The leaders, therefore, have decided to make his nomination. They will not consider his recent letter or anything that he may say or write between now and June 7 as a positive refusal to accept the nomination. They will spare no effort to nominate him as soon as possible after the convention meets. Then, if he succeeds they will adjourn the convention for a week before naming a candidate for vice president."

"They firmly believe that under these circumstances Mr. Blaine will deem it his duty to accept, if not no harm will be done."

"That in a nutshell, is the plan agreed upon. The biggest and boldest member of the combination is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official."

"Initiations of this scheme had been made in certain quarters here several times during the past week, but no one would believe that it could possibly be agreed upon. No one appeared to regard it possible that such an effort to make a man president by such means would be attempted, an action amounting almost to party treason. It is regarded as the most audacious proposition ever conjured up by the enemies of the party, and its announcement from New York has excited something of a sensation in republican circles and is the cause of deep indignation."

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Not only does Judge Peelle have no intention of attending the Minneapolis convention, but as soon as he was nominated to the position he occupies he notified his alternate that he would not attend the convention, and the alternate has known for some weeks that fact.

Strained for Their Point

The statement prepared by the opposition party many months ago, and which was the truth in order to make it appear that a large number of federal officers are to attend the convention as delegates. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Western Cereal Production

A bulletin just issued from the census office on the cereal production in 1890 of Nebraska, Wyoming and Colorado, says: In Nebraska the total area devoted to the cultivation of cereals in 1890 was 7,961,969 acres, as compared with 5,502,146 acres in 1889. The increase in the area was 2,459,823 acres, and that in value, \$1,238,058. The increase in the area was 2,459,823 acres, and that in value, \$1,238,058. The increase in the area was 2,459,823 acres, and that in value, \$1,238,058.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

Mr. A. D. Shaw, deputy third auditor, will leave next week for London, where he will attend the railway yard masters' convention.

WROTE A LETTER TO BLAINE.

Frederick Bancroft, Denies Statements Made by the Secretary. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Mr. Frederick Bancroft has addressed a letter to Secretary Blaine in answer to the statements made by the secretary in his letter to the president recommending the withdrawal of Mr. Bancroft's nomination as United States consul to Brunswick, Germany.

Mr. Bancroft says that Blaine at first assigned as the only reason for his removal as librarian was that he had been absent without permission delivering lectures which had occupied his time but a few days annually. He says the latest charges against him were trumped up by the secretary and were made necessary by the fact that he (the secretary) was confronted with his own written promise.

EARTH RID OF A MONSTER

Deeming Pays the Penalty of His Many Crimes on the Gallows. HORRIBLE RECITAL OF AWFUL CRIMES

List of the Many Murders He Had Committed—Cool and Calculating in His Shedding of Innocent Blood—A Short History.

MELBOURNE, May 22.—Deeming was hanged at one minute past 10 o'clock this morning. With the execution of Deeming there ended the life of one of the greatest criminals the world has ever seen.

At the beginning of March last the police at Melbourne received a dispatch from the police at Windsor, that the murder of a woman had just been committed at Windsor, a suburb of Melbourne, and from certain acts that had been revealed it was thought the Windsor murderer had killed another woman at Rain Hill, a suburb of Liverpool.

The police of the latter place at once started an investigation, and soon discovered a most horrible crime—literally unearthed—beneath the hearthstone of a residence known as Danham villa, at Rain Hill, there were found the bodies, not only of a woman, but also the bodies of four little children, all of whom had been buried in a pit that the murderer had dug beneath the hearthstone and under the earth had been thrown over them the surface was cemented and the hearthstone laid.

CONGRESSIONAL FORECASTS.

Early Adjournment Is Now One of the Possibilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—The senate has made such rapid progress with the regular appropriation bills that but two of the measures have been brought to the house awaiting action. The possibility of an early adjournment is now one of the possibilities. The senate has made such rapid progress with the regular appropriation bills that but two of the measures have been brought to the house awaiting action. The possibility of an early adjournment is now one of the possibilities.

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

Mr. A. D. Shaw, deputy third auditor, will leave next week for London, where he will attend the railway yard masters' convention.

WROTE A LETTER TO BLAINE.

Frederick Bancroft, Denies Statements Made by the Secretary. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Mr. Frederick Bancroft has addressed a letter to Secretary Blaine in answer to the statements made by the secretary in his letter to the president recommending the withdrawal of Mr. Bancroft's nomination as United States consul to Brunswick, Germany.

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

Mr. A. D. Shaw, deputy third auditor, will leave next week for London, where he will attend the railway yard masters' convention.

WROTE A LETTER TO BLAINE.

Frederick Bancroft, Denies Statements Made by the Secretary. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Mr. Frederick Bancroft has addressed a letter to Secretary Blaine in answer to the statements made by the secretary in his letter to the president recommending the withdrawal of Mr. Bancroft's nomination as United States consul to Brunswick, Germany.

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

EARTH RID OF A MONSTER

Deeming Pays the Penalty of His Many Crimes on the Gallows. HORRIBLE RECITAL OF AWFUL CRIMES

List of the Many Murders He Had Committed—Cool and Calculating in His Shedding of Innocent Blood—A Short History.

MELBOURNE, May 22.—Deeming was hanged at one minute past 10 o'clock this morning. With the execution of Deeming there ended the life of one of the greatest criminals the world has ever seen.

At the beginning of March last the police at Melbourne received a dispatch from the police at Windsor, that the murder of a woman had just been committed at Windsor, a suburb of Melbourne, and from certain acts that had been revealed it was thought the Windsor murderer had killed another woman at Rain Hill, a suburb of Liverpool.

The police of the latter place at once started an investigation, and soon discovered a most horrible crime—literally unearthed—beneath the hearthstone of a residence known as Danham villa, at Rain Hill, there were found the bodies, not only of a woman, but also the bodies of four little children, all of whom had been buried in a pit that the murderer had dug beneath the hearthstone and under the earth had been thrown over them the surface was cemented and the hearthstone laid.

CONGRESSIONAL FORECASTS.

Early Adjournment Is Now One of the Possibilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—The senate has made such rapid progress with the regular appropriation bills that but two of the measures have been brought to the house awaiting action. The possibility of an early adjournment is now one of the possibilities. The senate has made such rapid progress with the regular appropriation bills that but two of the measures have been brought to the house awaiting action. The possibility of an early adjournment is now one of the possibilities.

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

Mr. A. D. Shaw, deputy third auditor, will leave next week for London, where he will attend the railway yard masters' convention.

WROTE A LETTER TO BLAINE.

Frederick Bancroft, Denies Statements Made by the Secretary. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Mr. Frederick Bancroft has addressed a letter to Secretary Blaine in answer to the statements made by the secretary in his letter to the president recommending the withdrawal of Mr. Bancroft's nomination as United States consul to Brunswick, Germany.

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

Mr. A. D. Shaw, deputy third auditor, will leave next week for London, where he will attend the railway yard masters' convention.

WROTE A LETTER TO BLAINE.

Frederick Bancroft, Denies Statements Made by the Secretary. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Mr. Frederick Bancroft has addressed a letter to Secretary Blaine in answer to the statements made by the secretary in his letter to the president recommending the withdrawal of Mr. Bancroft's nomination as United States consul to Brunswick, Germany.

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

EARTH RID OF A MONSTER

Deeming Pays the Penalty of His Many Crimes on the Gallows. HORRIBLE RECITAL OF AWFUL CRIMES

List of the Many Murders He Had Committed—Cool and Calculating in His Shedding of Innocent Blood—A Short History.

MELBOURNE, May 22.—Deeming was hanged at one minute past 10 o'clock this morning. With the execution of Deeming there ended the life of one of the greatest criminals the world has ever seen.

At the beginning of March last the police at Melbourne received a dispatch from the police at Windsor, that the murder of a woman had just been committed at Windsor, a suburb of Melbourne, and from certain acts that had been revealed it was thought the Windsor murderer had killed another woman at Rain Hill, a suburb of Liverpool.

The police of the latter place at once started an investigation, and soon discovered a most horrible crime—literally unearthed—beneath the hearthstone of a residence known as Danham villa, at Rain Hill, there were found the bodies, not only of a woman, but also the bodies of four little children, all of whom had been buried in a pit that the murderer had dug beneath the hearthstone and under the earth had been thrown over them the surface was cemented and the hearthstone laid.

CONGRESSIONAL FORECASTS.

Early Adjournment Is Now One of the Possibilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—The senate has made such rapid progress with the regular appropriation bills that but two of the measures have been brought to the house awaiting action. The possibility of an early adjournment is now one of the possibilities. The senate has made such rapid progress with the regular appropriation bills that but two of the measures have been brought to the house awaiting action. The possibility of an early adjournment is now one of the possibilities.

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

Mr. A. D. Shaw, deputy third auditor, will leave next week for London, where he will attend the railway yard masters' convention.

WROTE A LETTER TO BLAINE.

Frederick Bancroft, Denies Statements Made by the Secretary. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Mr. Frederick Bancroft has addressed a letter to Secretary Blaine in answer to the statements made by the secretary in his letter to the president recommending the withdrawal of Mr. Bancroft's nomination as United States consul to Brunswick, Germany.

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

Mr. A. D. Shaw, deputy third auditor, will leave next week for London, where he will attend the railway yard masters' convention.

WROTE A LETTER TO BLAINE.

Frederick Bancroft, Denies Statements Made by the Secretary. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 22.—Mr. Frederick Bancroft has addressed a letter to Secretary Blaine in answer to the statements made by the secretary in his letter to the president recommending the withdrawal of Mr. Bancroft's nomination as United States consul to Brunswick, Germany.

Unfair and Outrage

The latest move of the president's small band of opponents is the publication of what appears to be a final and binding statement on the part of Mr. Blaine or anybody else may say or do. This is official. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position. It is a gross and deliberate attempt to bring about a change in the administration of the government by the use of a man who has been shown to be unworthy of the position.

Weather Forecasts

OFFICE OF WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, May 22.—The extreme northwestern low barometer has moved eastward and is now in and north of Montana. The warm wave accompanying it has spread eastward into the Missouri valley, though its crest is still in the upper mountain regions. Helena, Mont., reported 82° this evening. Miles City, 80°.

Miscellaneous

Mr. Delmer, the bachelor minister of Idaho, has sailed away for a trip, taking his millions with him, to spend his summer in continental travel. He is making his twenty-fifth visit to this city, during which he has entertained most lavishly. Mr. Delmer, so far as known, has left the country heart and fancy free, at least so far as regards Washington city.

CARRIED HER CREW TO DEATH

Brazilian Warship Salinios Wrecked Off the Coast of Uruguay. CAUGHT WITH THE HATCHES SECURED

Of One Hundred and Twenty-Eight Men Only Five Escaped—Terrible Efforts of the Victims to Save Their Lives.

[Copyright 1892 by James Gordon Bennett.] MONTVIDEO, Uruguay, (via Galveston, Tex.), May 22.—(By Mexican Cable to the New York Herald—Special to THE BEE.)—A fearful disaster has overtaken the Brazilian warship Salinios off the coast. She was dispatched from Rio Janeiro some days since to act as convoy to the flotilla which carried troops to aid in quelling the rebellion in the Brazilian state of Mato Grosso.

The flotilla had come on ahead of the Salinios, and the crew were waiting for her arrival in order to proceed by way of the Paraguay river to the scene of the revolt. At the same time that the flotilla left Rio Janeiro a fog was sent by rail. It was to go to the end of the railroad route and then march into Mato Grosso where, after being joined by the troops from the flotilla, the combined forces were to attack the capital of the state.

Went Down with the Hatches Closed.

The crew of the warship numbered 127 men. As she was fitted out for active service it is probable that she did not carry any small boats. Owing to the dangerous nature of the low and sandy condition of Uruguay on the southeast, she had a pilot aboard.

Just as the Salinios was off Palencia Island, near Punta Negra, Castillo, she struck a rock and went down. The sea was very rough at the time. All the crew were under hatches except four sailors and the pilot. Two of the sailors acted as lookouts and the other two were at the wheel.

Through the immense hole made in her hull the water rushed so fast and furious that she sank almost immediately. Of all her crew, only four sailors who were on deck were saved, and the pilot escaped. One hundred and twenty-three lives were lost.

Like Rats in a Trap.

The unfortunate men did not even get a chance to gain the deck. They were drowned like rats in a hole. As the water poured in the victims seemed instantly to realize their danger and made a frantic but unavailing effort to dash open the hatches. Their cries were heard for some distance.

Scene of the Disaster—Palencia Island—

is northeast of Cape Santa Maria, which is near the mouth of the Rio de la Plata. The Salinios was a two-turreted monitor built in England and launched in 1873. Her displacement was 3,700 tons. She had a double bottom, but there were few water-tight compartments below the water line, and when the hole was knocked in her hull she went down like a cracked iron pot.

Her dimensions were: Length, 240 feet; beam, 55 feet; draught, 11 feet 5 inches. She had twelve inches of armor on her midship belt and thirteen inches on her turrets.

She was driven by two engines, giving a maximum speed of eleven and one-quarter knots an hour with 2,300 indicated horse power. Her battery contains four twenty-five ton ten inch muzzle loading Whitworth rifled guns, two in each turret, and five smaller guns.

Captain Castrol of the Salinios Is among the Drowned.

Their bodies were found on the beach. The program was full of solid meat. The college quater, which had been a long contention for four years, did not come up. The secretaries from the east did not reach Yankton on account of the washouts on the railroad.

A monument was dedicated at the grave of General Ward, D. D., first president of Yankton college and founder of the public school system of South Dakota. The monument was erected by the Yankton college and the Yankton public school system.

Business Active at Hot Springs.

HOT SPRINGS, S. D., May 22.—(Special to THE BEE.)—This morning's business is all aglow with life and activity since the great weather returned and the long delayed work upon the elegant new Minnesota hotel is being revived with great force and the stone work upon the fifth and last story has been completed.

HER KISSES WERE REFUSED.

REASONS WHY AN IOWA WIFE DEMANDS AN ABSOLUTE DIVORCE. FORT DODGE, Ia., May 22.—(Special to THE BEE.)—Mattie Kirchner is suing for a divorce from her husband, Jacob Kirchner, on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. The case is being heard by Judge Hindman in the district court here. One of Mr. Kirchner's allegations is that her husband refused to permit her to kiss him, and another that he killed her pet cat.

Met a Horrible Death.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 22.—(Special Telegram to THE BEE.)—O. P. Holmes, overseer of the cables at the St. Louis City cable power house, slipped and fell on a cable today and was drawn under the wheel, on which there was a pressure of twenty-two tons. His body was cut in twain as smoothly as if by a great knife.

Creighton's Fire Company Tested.

CREIGHTON, Ia., May 22.—(Special Telegram to THE BEE.)—Fire broke out this evening in the Hatch building, occupied by George Brockhagen, wholesale and retail dealer in harness and saddlery. The entire upper story of the wooden building was in flames.

DRIFT FROM THE FLOOD.

Stories of Destruction—Work of Rescuing Sufferers. ALTON, Ill., May 22.—Governor Fifer has just returned from Alton, Ill., from the submerged district in St. Clair county and below. He has dispatched Adjutant General Rose to Monroe and Randolph counties and further south if necessary. Tents and other supplies were shipped to Chester on Saturday. Measures have been taken to secure an accurate census of the number of sufferers. When this information is received the governor will determine whether it will be necessary to call upon the people of the state for assistance. Governor Fifer left on the Illinois river to inspect the area of overflow north of Cahoon county.

PAULINA, Ark., May 22.—The destitution of food suffered up and down the Arkansas river is fearful. In the St. Mary and White Bluff districts the water is so high that the people are unable to reach the people. The steamer Anna B. Adams brought 1,200 refugees here this afternoon by the government wharf yesterday. The officers of the Adams report two women and a child drowned by falling from a skiff. The husband and child were rescued, but the woman was not. The steamer was returned to the flooded localities to bring relief to other sufferers.

A telegram received here this evening states that the town of Alton, Ill., twenty miles north of here, is under three feet of water. The citizens here are doing all in their power to help the sufferers. The department is rendering every assistance.